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Subject: RE: Security detail costs for Italy

On-the-record statement regarding travel: "Administrator Pruitt's security detail followed the same procedures for the G7 environmental meeting in Italy that were used during EPA Administrators Stephen Johnson, Lisa Jackson, and Gina McCarthy's trips to Italy. EPA's security procedures have not deviated over the past 14 years." – EPA spokesman, Jahan Wilcox

On-the-record statement regarding House Oversight: **"We are working with Chairman Gowdy to accommodate his request."** – EPA spokesman, Jahan Wilcox

From: Biesecker, Michael [mailto:MBiesecker@ap.org]

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Jahan,

Do you have updated comment on the release of the figure for the cost of the administrator's security detail to go to Italy last year? Also, can you comment on whether the security team flew with him in business class/first class?

I've heard EPA may turn over travel records to House Oversight this week, potentially as soon as today. Can you confirm?

Thanks,

Michael



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